

### Looking Ahead to 2017

- ⇒ The Book Bike: a mobile library! A trike with a box full of books coming to local events this summer!
- ⇒ Pilot project with Oaklawn Elementary to get library books to 5th graders.
- ⇒ Pages N Pints: Bringing "Book Club" downtown!
- ⇒ Outreach to Seniors: Delivering books to senior housing.



Our Elk Mound Branch is another convenient location for library service. In 2016: 8838 Items were checked out.

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### OUR MISSION

*The **Menomonie Public Library** provides lifelong learning resources, fosters a sense of community, and enriches the lives of Dunn County citizens in a welcoming environment.*

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### OUR VISION

*The Library will be Dunn County's primary community learning center by providing programming for all ages and access to advanced digital technology*

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The MORE library consortium brings access to over 50 libraries in Western Wisconsin!

# MENOMONIE PUBLIC LIBRARY



## 2016 ANNUAL REPORT

Serving Menomonie  
& Dunn County  
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Menomonie, WI 54751  
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FINANCES	
INCOME	
City of Menomonie	\$ 400,000
Dunn County	\$ 506,143
Other	\$ 94,917
Total	\$ 1,001,060
EXPENSES	
Personnel	\$ 669,302
Books, Magazines & Media	\$ 87,624
Other operational costs	\$ 231,893
Total	\$ 988,819

COLLECTION FACTS	
Books In Print (non-periodical)	40,608
Video materials (DVDs, CDs,...)	6,636
Through the MORE Consortium, we have access to more than a million unique items!	
Did you know we also loan: Puppets, CDs, AudioBooks, Books on MP3, e-books, Wi-Fi Hotspots & Kindles?	



The perfect ending to a summer day:  
"Music Over Menomin" on the library lawn

BY THE NUMBERS	
Library Visitors	145,370
Items Loaned	367,891
Registered Borrowers	15,303
48% are residents of the City of Menomonie and 52% are outside the City limits	
Internet sessions logged on our computers	20,194
Music Over Menomin attendance	2103
Teen program attendance	625
Uses of eBooks, eAudio and eVideo	25,300
Requests for information	9,163

LOOKING BACK AT 2016	
◆	Celebrated our 30th Anniversary on Wolske Bay!
◆	The Strategic Planning Retreat brought community members together to share their ideas on future services and programs
◆	Chippewa Valley Internetworking Consortium (CINC) installed fiber-optic increasing our internet capacity
◆	Began Wi-Fi Hotspots lending program
◆	Replaced original windows (multi-year project)
◆	Restored native plants along lakeside
◆	Started Seed Savers Library: "loaning" seeds for heirloom vegetables, herbs and flowers.
◆	Splash N Stories: Bringing Storytime to the Pool!



Wildflowers we planted along the lakeside

Kids enjoy a program in the meeting room	
	

Children attending Storytime	4737
Children learning about the importance of reading through our programs for the schools and daycare centers	3335
Our "1000 Books Before Kindergarten" program has kids reading or being read to. They are given a book for each 100 books read! Since 2015:	
Dunn County Participants in 1000 Books Before Kindergarten	760
Books earned by Graduates of 1000 Books Before Kindergarten	1024



A proud graduate of "1000 Books Before Kindergarten!"